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SELECTING INSTRUCTIONS FOR EXECUTION BASED ON BANK PREDICTION OF A MULTI-BANK CACHE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

This paper is being filed responsive to the Office Action dated May 11, 2006. Please amend the above identified application as follows.

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